

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the amendment.

The amendment was agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the engrossment and third reading of the bill.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, and was read the third time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the passage of the bill.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. OBERSTAR. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 368, nays 59, not voting 6, as follows:

[Roll No. 130]

YEAS—368

Abercrombie	Costello	Hare
Ackerman	Courtney	Harman
Aderholt	Cramer	Hastert
Alexander	Crenshaw	Hastings (FL)
Allen	Crowley	Hastings (WA)
Altmire	Cubin	Hayes
Andrews	Cuellar	Heller
Arcuri	Cummings	Herseth
Baca	Davis (AL)	Higgins
Bachus	Davis (CA)	Hill
Baird	Davis (IL)	Hinchev
Baker	Davis, David	Hinojosa
Baldwin	Davis, Lincoln	Hirono
Barrow	Davis, Tom	Hobson
Barton (TX)	DeFazio	Hodes
Bean	DeGette	Hoekstra
Becerra	Delahunt	Holden
Berkley	DeLauro	Holt
Berman	Dent	Honda
Berry	Diaz-Balart, L.	Hooley
Biggart	Diaz-Balart, M.	Hoyer
Bilirakis	Dicks	Hulshof
Bishop (GA)	Dingell	Inslee
Bishop (NY)	Doggett	Israel
Blumenauer	Donnelly	Jackson (IL)
Blunt	Doolittle	Jackson-Lee
Boehner	Doyle	(TX)
Bonner	Drake	Jefferson
Boozman	Dreier	Jindal
Boren	Duncan	Johnson (GA)
Boswell	Edwards	Johnson (IL)
Boucher	Ehlers	Johnson, E. B.
Boustany	Ellison	Jones (NC)
Boyd (FL)	Ellsworth	Jones (OH)
Boyd (KS)	Emanuel	Kagen
Brady (PA)	Emerson	Kanjorski
Braley (IA)	Engel	Kaptur
Brown (SC)	English (PA)	Keller
Brown, Corrine	Eshoo	Kennedy
Brown-Waite,	Etheridge	Kildee
Ginny	Everett	Kilpatrick
Buchanan	Fallin	Kind
Butterfield	Farr	King (NY)
Calvert	Fattah	Kirk
Cannon	Ferguson	Klein (FL)
Capito	Filner	Knollenberg
Capps	Forbes	Kucinich
Capuano	Fortenberry	Kuhl (NY)
Cardoza	Fossella	LaHood
Carnahan	Frank (MA)	Lampson
Carney	Frelinghuysen	Langevin
Carson	Gallely	Lantos
Carter	Gerlach	Larsen (WA)
Castle	Giffords	Latham
Castor	Gilchrest	LaTourette
Chabot	Gillibrand	Lee
Chandler	Gillmor	Levin
Clarke	Gohmert	Lewis (CA)
Clay	Gonzalez	Lewis (GA)
Cleaver	Gordon	Lipinski
Clyburn	Granger	LoBiondo
Coble	Graves	Loeb sack
Cohen	Green, Al	Lofgren, Zoe
Cole (OK)	Green, Gene	Lowe
Conaway	Grijalva	Lucas
Conyers	Gutierrez	Lungren, Daniel
Cooper	Hall (NY)	E.
Costa	Hall (TX)	Lynch

Mahoney (FL)	Perlmutter	Sires
Maloney (NY)	Peterson (MN)	Skelton
Manzullo	Peterson (PA)	Slaughter
Markey	Petri	Smith (NJ)
Marshall	Pickering	Smith (TX)
Matheson	Platts	Smith (WA)
Matsui	Poe	Snyder
McCarthy (CA)	Pomeroy	Solis
McCarthy (NY)	Porter	Souder
McCaul (TX)	Price (NC)	Space
McColum (MN)	Pryce (OH)	Spratt
McCotter	Putnam	Stark
McCreery	Radanovich	Stupak
McDermott	Rahall	Sullivan
McGovern	Ramstad	Sutton
McHugh	Rangel	Tauscher
McIntyre	Regula	Taylor
McKeon	Rehberg	Terry
McMorris	Reichert	Thompson (CA)
Rodgers	Renzi	Thompson (MS)
McNerney	Reyes	Tiahrt
McNulty	Reynolds	Tiberi
Meehan	Rodriguez	Tierney
Meek (FL)	Rogers (AL)	Towns
Meeks (NY)	Rogers (KY)	Turner
Melancon	Rogers (MI)	Udall (CO)
Mica	Rohrabacher	Udall (NM)
Michaud	Ros-Lehtinen	Upton
Millender-	Roskam	Van Hollen
McDonald	Ross	Velázquez
Miller (MI)	Rothman	Visclosky
Miller (NC)	Roybal-Allard	Walberg
Miller, Gary	Ruppersberger	Walden (OR)
Miller, George	Rush	Walsh (NY)
Mitchell	Ryan (OH)	Walz (MN)
Mollohan	Salazar	Wamp
Moore (KS)	Sali	Wasserman
Moore (WI)	Sánchez, Linda	Schultz
Moran (KS)	T.	Waters
Moran (VA)	Sanchez, Loretta	Watson
Murphy (CT)	Sarbanes	Watt
Murphy, Patrick	Saxton	Waxman
Murphy, Tim	Shakowsky	Weiner
Murtha	Schiff	Welch (VT)
Nadler	Schmidt	Weller
Napolitano	Schwartz	Wexler
Neal (MA)	Scott (GA)	Whitfield
Nunes	Scott (VA)	Wicker
Oberstar	Serrano	Wilson (NM)
Obey	Sestak	Wilson (OH)
Oliver	Shays	Wolf
Ortiz	Shea-Porter	Woolsey
Pallone	Sherman	Wu
Pascarell	Shimkus	Wynn
Pastor	Shuler	Yarmuth
Payne	Shuster	Young (AK)
Pearce	Simpson	Young (FL)

NAYS—59

Akin	Garrett (NJ)	Musgrave
Bachmann	Gingrey	Myrick
Barrett (SC)	Goode	Neugebauer
Bartlett (MD)	Goodlatte	Paul
Bilbray	Hensarling	Pence
Bishop (UT)	Herger	Pitts
Blackburn	Inglis (SC)	Price (GA)
Brady (TX)	Issa	Royce
Burgess	Johnson, Sam	Ryan (WI)
Burton (IN)	Jordan	Sensenbrenner
Buyer	King (IA)	Sessions
Campbell (CA)	Kingston	Shadegg
Cantor	Kline (MN)	Smith (NE)
Culberson	Lamborn	Stearns
Davis (KY)	Lewis (KY)	Tancredo
Deal (GA)	Linder	Thornberry
Feeney	Mack	Weldon (FL)
Flake	Marchant	Westmoreland
Foxx	McHenry	Wilson (SC)
Franks (AZ)	Miller (FL)	

NOT VOTING—6

Bono	Davis, Jo Ann	Larson (CT)
Camp (MI)	Hunter	Tanner

□ 1445

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

COMMITTEE FUNDING RESOLUTION

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the vote on adop-

tion of House Resolution 202, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the resolution.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 269, nays 150, not voting 14, as follows:

[Roll No. 131]

YEAS—269

Abercrombie	Giffords	Michaud
Ackerman	Gilchrest	Millender-
Allen	Gillibrand	McDonald
Altmire	Gonzalez	Miller (NC)
Andrews	Gordon	Miller, Gary
Arcuri	Granger	Miller, George
Baca	Green, Al	Mitchell
Baird	Green, Gene	Mollohan
Baldwin	Grijalva	Moore (KS)
Barrow	Gutierrez	Moore (WI)
Bean	Hall (NY)	Moran (VA)
Becerra	Hall (TX)	Murphy (CT)
Berkley	Hare	Murphy, Patrick
Berman	Harman	Murtha
Berry	Hastings (FL)	Nadler
Bilirakis	Herseth	Napolitano
Bishop (GA)	Higgins	Neal (MA)
Bishop (NY)	Hill	Oberstar
Blumenauer	Hinchev	Obey
Boren	Hinojosa	Olver
Boswell	Hirono	Ortiz
Boucher	Hodes	Pallone
Boyda (KS)	Holden	Pascarell
Brady (PA)	Holt	Pastor
Braley (IA)	Honda	Payne
Brown, Corrine	Hooley	Perlmutter
Buchanan	Hoyer	Peterson (MN)
Butterfield	Inslee	Platts
Buyer	Israel	Pomeroy
Capps	Jackson (IL)	Porter
Capuano	Jackson-Lee	Price (NC)
Cardoza	(TX)	Pryce (OH)
Carnahan	Jefferson	Rahall
Carney	Johnson (GA)	Ramstad
Carson	Johnson (IL)	Rehberg
Castor	Johnson, E. B.	Reichert
Chandler	Jones (OH)	Renzi
Clarke	Kagen	Reyes
Clay	Kanjorski	Rodriguez
Cleaver	Kaptur	Ros-Lehtinen
Clyburn	Keller	Ross
Cohen	Kildee	Rothman
Conyers	Kilpatrick	Roybal-Allard
Cooper	Kind	Ruppersberger
Costa	Kirk	Rush
Costello	Klein (FL)	Ryan (OH)
Courtney	Knollenberg	Salazar
Cramer	Kucinich	Sánchez, Linda
Crowley	Lampson	T.
Cuellar	Langevin	Sanchez, Loretta
Cummings	Lantos	Sarbanes
Davis (AL)	Larsen (WA)	Saxton
Davis (CA)	Lee	Schakowsky
Davis (IL)	Levin	Schiff
Davis, Lincoln	Lewis (CA)	Schwartz
Davis, Tom	Lewis (GA)	Scott (GA)
DeFazio	Lipinski	Scott (VA)
DeGette	LoBiondo	Serrano
Delahunt	Loeb sack	Sestak
DeLauro	Lofgren, Zoe	Shays
Dent	Lowe	Shea-Porter
Dicks	Lynch	Sherman
Dingell	Mahoney (FL)	Shuler
Doggett	Maloney (NY)	Sires
Donnelly	Markey	Skelton
Doyle	Marshall	Slaughter
Edwards	Matsui	Smith (NJ)
Ehlers	McCarthy (NY)	Smith (WA)
Ellison	McCaul (TX)	Snyder
Ellsworth	McColum (MN)	Solis
Emanuel	McDermott	Space
Engel	McGovern	Spratt
English (PA)	McIntyre	Stark
Eshoo	McKeon	Stupak
Etheridge	McMorris	Sutton
Farr	Rodgers	Tanner
Fattah	McNerney	Tauscher
Ferguson	McNulty	Taylor
Filner	Meehan	Thompson (CA)
Fortenberry	Meek (FL)	Thompson (MS)
Frank (MA)	Meeks (NY)	Thornberry
Frelinghuysen	Melancon	Tiberi
Gerlach	Mica	Tierney

Towns	Wasserman	Wexler
Udall (CO)	Schultz	Wilson (NM)
Udall (NM)	Waters	Wilson (OH)
Velázquez	Watson	Wolf
Visclosky	Watt	Wu
Walden (OR)	Waxman	Wynn
Walsh (NY)	Weiner	Yarmuth
Walz (MN)	Welch (VT)	Young (AK)
	Weller	

NAYS—150

Aderholt	Flake	Miller (FL)
Akin	Forbes	Miller (MI)
Alexander	Fossella	Moran (KS)
Bachmann	Fox	Musgrave
Bachus	Franks (AZ)	Myrick
Baker	Gallegly	Neugebauer
Barrett (SC)	Garrett (NJ)	Nunes
Bartlett (MD)	Gillmor	Paul
Barton (TX)	Gingrey	Pearce
Biggert	Gohmert	Pence
Bilbray	Goode	Peterson (PA)
Bishop (UT)	Goodlatte	Petri
Blackburn	Graves	Pickering
Blunt	Hastert	Pitts
Boehner	Hastings (WA)	Poe
Bonner	Hayes	Price (GA)
Boozman	Heller	Putnam
Boustany	Hensarling	Radanovich
Brady (TX)	Herger	Regula
Brown (SC)	Hobson	Reynolds
Brown-Waite,	Hoekstra	Rogers (AL)
Ginny	Hulshof	Rogers (KY)
Burgess	Inglis (SC)	Rogers (MI)
Burton (IN)	Issa	Rohrabacher
Calvert	Jindal	Royce
Campbell (CA)	Johnson, Sam	Ryan (WI)
Cannon	Jones (NC)	Schmidt
Cantor	Jordan	Sensenbrenner
Capito	King (IA)	Sessions
Carter	King (NY)	Shadegg
Castle	Kingston	Shimkus
Chabot	Kline (MN)	Shuster
Coble	Kuhl (NY)	Simpson
Cole (OK)	LaHood	Smith (NE)
Conaway	Lamborn	Smith (TX)
Crenshaw	Latham	Souder
Cubin	LaTourette	Stearns
Culberson	Lewis (KY)	Sullivan
Davis (KY)	Linder	Tancredo
Davis, David	Lucas	Tiahrt
Deal (GA)	Lungren, Daniel	Turner
Diaz-Balart, L.	E.	Upton
Diaz-Balart, M.	Mack	Walberg
Doolittle	Manzullo	Wamp
Drake	Marchant	Weldon (FL)
Dreier	Matheson	Westmoreland
Duncan	McCarthy (CA)	Whitfield
Emerson	McCotter	Wicker
Everett	McCrery	Wilson (SC)
Fallin	McHenry	Young (FL)
Feeney	McHugh	

NOT VOTING—14

Bono	Kennedy	Sali
Boyd (FL)	Larson (CT)	Terry
Camp (MI)	Murphy, Tim	Van Hollen
Davis, Jo Ann	Rangel	Woolsey
Hunter	Roskam	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members are advised there are 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

□ 1456

Mr. ROGERS of Alabama changed his vote from “yea” to “nay.”

So the resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Mr. KENNEDY. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 131, I was in a hearing during votes. Had I been present, I would have voted “yea.”

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. LARSON of Connecticut. Mr. Speaker, I would like to submit this statement for the RECORD and regret that I could not be present today, Thursday, March 8, 2007 to vote on

rollcall vote Nos. 127, 128, 129, 130, and 131 due to a family medical matter.

Had I been present, I would have voted: “yea” on rollcall vote No. 127 on the previous question to H. Res. 219, on providing for the consideration of H. Res. 202;

“Nay” on rollcall vote No. 128 on the amendment to H. R. 700, to prohibit the bill's authorization levels or other provisions from taking effect if they would result in costs to the federal government;

“Yea” on rollcall vote No. 129 on a motion to recommit H.R. 700 with instructions;

“Yea” on rollcall vote No. 130 on the final passage of H.R. 700, the Healthy Communities Water Supply Act; and

“Yea” on rollcall vote No. 131 on agreeing to H. Res. 202, a resolution providing for the expenses of certain committees of the House of Representatives in the 110th Congress.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

A message in writing from the President of the United States was communicated to the House by Ms. Evans, one of his secretaries.

CONTINUATION OF NATIONAL
EMERGENCY WITH RESPECT TO
IRAN—MESSAGE FROM THE
PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED
STATES (H. DOC. NO. 110-17)

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. TIERNEY) laid before the House the following message from the President of the United States; which was read and, together with the accompanying papers, without objection, referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered to be printed:

To the Congress of the United States:

Section 202(d) of the National Emergencies Act (50 U.S.C. 1622(d)) provides for the automatic termination of a national emergency unless, prior to the anniversary date of its declaration, the President publishes in the *Federal Register* and transmits to the Congress a notice stating that the emergency is to continue in effect beyond the anniversary date. In accordance with this provision, I have sent the enclosed notice to the *Federal Register* for publication, stating that the Iran emergency declared on March 15, 1995, is to continue in effect beyond March 15, 2007.

The crisis between the United States and Iran constituted by the actions and policies of the Government of Iran that led to the declaration of a national emergency on March 15, 1995, has not been resolved. The actions and policies of the Government of Iran are contrary to the interests of the United States in the region and pose a continuing unusual and extraordinary threat to the national security, foreign policy, and economy of the United States. For these reasons, I have determined that it is necessary to continue the national emergency declared with respect to Iran and maintain in force comprehensive sanctions against Iran to respond to this threat.

GEORGE W. BUSH.
THE WHITE HOUSE, March 8, 2007.

DEMOCRATS RETREAT FROM IRAQ

(Mr. PENCE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. PENCE. Mr. Speaker, after waiting for months, the new Democrat majority has introduced their plan for Iraq today, and it can be summed up with one phrase, fully funded withdrawal.

Seeking to micromanage the war, the Democrats have come up with a plan that attaches strings to troop funding in order to seek American withdrawal from Iraq by 2008. This Democrat plan for a fully funded withdrawal could also be described as a well-equipped retreat. A fully funded withdrawal might well be added to that classic list of American oxymorons that includes plastic glass and jumbo shrimp.

Since their election pledge to “fix the war,” it has taken our friends on the other side of the aisle 4 months to come up with a strategy in Iraq. But even though their proposal does include funding for our soldiers in the field and our veterans here at home, their latest poll-tested approach for fighting the war in Iraq can best be described as cut and run.

For all the Democrats' furtive backroom efforts and tortured explanations, it is not nearly as complex as they describe. In fact, their strategy could be described by George Orwell: “The quickest way to end the war is to lose it.”

We don't need a fully funded withdrawal. We need to fully fund victory for freedom in Iraq.

SPECIAL ORDERS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under the Speaker's announced policy of January 18, 2007, and under a previous order of the House, the following Members will be recognized for 5 minutes each.

□ 1500

YUCCA MOUNTAIN PROJECT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under a previous order of the House, the gentlewoman from Nevada (Ms. BERKLEY) is recognized for 5 minutes.

Ms. BERKLEY. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to condemn in the strongest possible terms President Bush's latest attempt to resurrect the fatally flawed Yucca Mountain Project in my home State of Nevada.

This past Tuesday, the White House ordered the Energy Department to seek reintroduction of the so-called Fix Yucca Bill.

In a nutshell, this special interest legislation guts key safety and environmental rules, makes it harder for Nevadans to challenge Yucca Mountain, gives the green light to a water grant in the middle of the Nevada desert where there is no water, and increases the amount of deadly nuclear